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In Re Application of : Glenn Ricart et al
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PERSONALIZATION
U.S. Serial No. : 09/769,605
Group Art Unit : 2173
Filed : January 25, 2001
Examiner : HANNE, SARA M
Attorney docket : 300/4

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Dear Sirs,

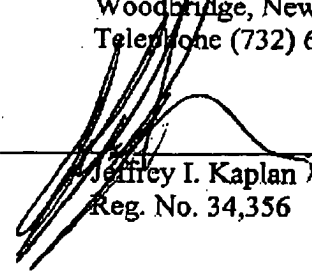
It appears that the Examiner has not considered the reference PCT/US99/30236 cited in IDS submitted on October 30, 2003 as it was not listed in the form PTO-892 attached to the Office Action dated February 23, 2004. Thus, Applicants respectfully request again that the reference PCT/US99/30236 be considered in a next office action.

For convenience, a copy of the IDS is attached herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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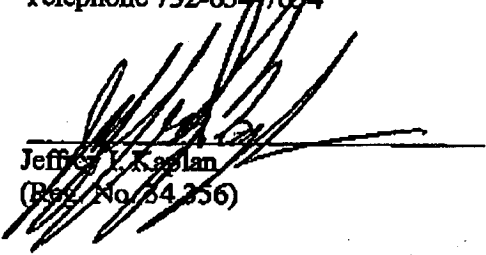
In response to the request of the Examiner in the Office Action dated July 30, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit this Information Disclosure Statement and a copy of the reference pursuant to 37CFR 1.56, 1.57 and 1.98 in order to comply with the duty of disclosure. The enclosed Form PTO/SB/08a identifies the reference PCT/US 99/30236 of which Applicants are aware.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider this reference herein and make it of record in the subject application. It is Applicant's position that this reference PCT/US 99/30236, which is described in the original Specification of this application and now cited pursuant to 37CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, is clearly not a bar to allowance of the claims in this application.

A check of \$180 is also enclosed as the petition fee under 37CFR 1.97(c) (2) and 1.17(p) for this submission.

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